

Christmas Suggestions

Gifts That a Man Will Appreciate

This is a man's store, the store where men come to buy things to wear. Remember this when buying holiday gifts for your gentlemen friends or relatives. Here you will find hundreds of splendid gifts they will be glad to wear and appreciate. No other store in Central Texas can begin to show you the collection of high grade novelties in men's wear that you will find here—all put up in handsome Christmas boxes ready for gifts.

BELOW WE OFFER A FEW SUGGESTIONS FROM THE HUNDREDS WE ARE SHOWING



Phoenix

The genuine Phoenix Mufflers in the new Military and turn-down collars, all colors and sizes, in nice Christmas boxes

25c to \$1.50

Men's Slippers



In Brown and Black Kid, Alligator and Felt

\$1.00 to \$2.50

Smoking Jackets



In handsome Colors, Self-lined in Proxy Blue, Brown and Grey

\$5.00 to \$12.50

Bath Robes



Of imported German blankets, striking patterns

\$3.50 to \$6

Christmas Neckwear



In rich Holiday silks, new coloring and shapes in nice boxes

50c to \$1

Men's Gloves



In dressed and undressed kid, wool, etc.

50c to \$2.00

Men's Half Hose



In pure silk and lisle thread, in all the shades, also hole proof guaranteed hosiery

25c to \$1

Silk Mufflers



and Handkerchiefs, initials and plain, put up in nice boxes

50c, 75c and \$1.00

LEATHER Toilet Cases



Match Sets of Ties, Half Hose and Silk Handkerchiefs, put up in fine leather cases. Sets of Silk Suspenders, Garters and Arm Bands in nice Christmas boxes and many other handsome novelties.

Don't fail to see our Christmas Windows

PARKS & WALDROP Bryan's Big Clothing Store

IN SOCIAL CIRCLES

Hathaway-Morris Nuptials Solemnized at High Noon Thursday—

The wedding of Miss Martha Morris and Mr. Thomas DeWitt Hathaway, which took place Thursday at high noon at the home of the bride's parents, Rev. and Mrs. T. H. Morris, was a beautiful event in which was centered the cordial interest of a wide circle of friends. These friends came with loving good wishes in their hearts and their sincerity and interest seemed to throw a halo of radiant beauty over the scene, and to breathe a prayer of benediction upon the lives of the newly wedded pair.

The hospitable home was a bower of beauty for the occasion, with its hanging vines, magnificent autumn blossoms and graceful ferns and palms. The decorations were artistic and beautiful, each room giving a distinct note of pleasure as the guests passed from one to another. The splendid broad hall, finished in tones of crimson, was charmingly decorated with pink LaFrance roses and vines. The stair balustrade was twined with

the graceful vines while on the newel post was placed a handsome fern. Receiving the guests as they entered this room were Mrs. Leitbold and Miss Clara Mawhinney. The punch bowl occupied one corner of this room, the bowl resting in a back of vines, a crystal vase of roses adding to the effect. The punch was served by Misses Mabel Zimmerman and Mary James.

The parlor decorations were very elaborate and beautiful, and were directed with artistic taste, the room having been transformed into a bower of green and white. Quantities of exquisite palms and ferns being utilized in the development of a novel and pretty decorative scheme. A tracing of smilax was used over the lace curtains and lovers' knots of white maline were conspicuous in the adornment of the chandelier. The bridal altar was formed by the banking of tall palms, graduating to smaller ones, and showed beautifully that willing hands had wrought a loving tribute

to the bride whom they delighted to honor.

As the lovely strains of Lohengrin's wedding march pealed forth (Miss Kitty Strong, of Houston, a cousin of the groom, at the piano) the bridal party came from the library in the following order: First, the groomsmen, Messrs. Hugh Foley and J. W. Williams, Jr.; then the bridesmaids, Misses Eloise Hunt, of Troupe, and Lola Booker, dressed in lingerie gowns and carrying arm bouquets of bride's roses and ferns. They were followed by the maid of honor, Miss Josie Morris, dressed in white, carrying bride's roses and ferns. Next came the groom and his best man, Mr. W. D. Cooper, who was met at the altar by the bride, who came in leaning on the arm of her brother, Mr. Rouse Morris. Immediately preceding the bride came the little flower girl, Miss Nancy Moore, looking like a fairy, strewing rose petals in the path of the bride. During the ceremony the bride and groom stood beneath a large bell, half hidden in the graceful smilax. The marriage ritual was solemnly and impressively pronounced by the bride's father and the vows were sealed with the marriage ring.

The wedding was unusually beautiful. There was about it such a pure, sweet atmosphere that the sanctity of

the ceremony found a fitting background and the solemn words of the Methodist service went straight to the hearts of the witnesses.

The bride was charmingly dressed in white and carried a shower bouquet of bride's roses, ferns and hyacinths. A pretty bow of maline gave the finishing touches.

The bride is a daughter of Rev. and Mrs. T. H. Morris, and has lived here a number of years amid a host of true, loving friends. She is known by all to be a girl of sweet, sunny disposition and other admirable Christian traits of character.

Mr. Hathaway is a son of Mrs. H. L. Hathaway, of Houston. He has made Bryan his home for a number of years and holds a responsible position with Gordon, Sewall & Co. He has, by uprightness and gentlemanly bearing, won the highest regard of all.

The bride's cake was cut in the dining-room. Miss Clara Mawhinney cut the ring, Miss Alma Cole the dime and Miss Nellie Cole the thimble.

The popularity of the groom and his charming bride was well attested by the beautiful and costly presents that were sent in. As the bride ascended the stair to don her traveling dress she threw her bouquet to the young ladies below. Miss Booker was the fortunate one and caught the flowers.

Refreshment Headquarters

"Talk Friendly" and come to see me for

WHISKIES, WINES, LIQUORS AND CIGARS

I handle as good goods as can be found anywhere and beat them all on prices. Send me your jugs. Send me your mail orders. All orders given careful and prompt attention. Thanking you for your patronage and assuring my patrons, of courteous treatment, I am,

Yours truly,

JOE KOSH

Mr. and Mrs. Hathaway left on the afternoon train to spend Christmas with the groom's mother. Then they will visit New Orleans and other places of interest. On returning to Bryan they will be at home to their friends at the home of Mrs. W. H. Webb.

Dr. and Mrs. Raysor Entertain Senior Class of Allen Academy—

One of the first suggestions of the merry holiday season was found on Tuesday evening when Dr. and Mrs. P. M. Raysor entertained with an oyster roast the Senior Class of Allen Academy (of which their son is a member) and a number of young ladies. The affair was at the Fin

Feather Club house and was one of the handsomest parties of the season. The bright and red berries of the Yupon, in evidence throughout the floral adornment of the large rooms, together with foliage plants placed here and there, imparted a gay Christmas appearance, and the cold, snappy weather made dancing a delight.

The dining-room was very attractive in Yuletide decorations. A pretty Christmas tree ornamented with red candles and a present for each guest (which afterward proved to be a sell) was the central decoration for the table. Sandwiches, pickles, crackers and almonds were placed on the table and were served with the faultlessly pre-

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Night 8:30 p. m.

PRICES

**LOWER FLOOR, 75c and \$1.00
BALCONY, 50c and 75c**

**COLONIAL THEATRE, MONDAY DEC. 26TH
Matinee and Night**

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THE REIGNING SENSATIONAL MUSICAL DRAMATIC NOVELTY

Brimful of Thrilling Climaxes, Presented by a large Company of Dramatic and Musical Artists.
Augmented by a Singing and Dancing Chorus.

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